

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph bridging pages 123-124 as follows:

Experimental Example [[4]] 4-1

For high-concentrated soluble thrombomodulin (TMD123H)-containing preparations or kit preparations obtained in Examples 1-39-1 to 1-53-1, high-concentrated soluble thrombomodulin-containing solutions were prepared and then the osmotic pressure ratios and aggregate-generating ratios thereof were determined by the same methods as those of Example 2 or Example 3. The results were shown in Table 4.

Please amend the paragraph bridging pages 136-137 as follows:

A kit preparation of a soluble thrombomodulin-containing freeze-dried preparation obtained by making a combination of: the soluble thrombomodulin-containing freeze-dried preparation listed in the column of composition in Table 5 obtained in the same manner as in Example 2-14, except that Polysorbate 80 was not added in the additive solution; and an ampule aseptically filled with 1 mL of solution containing 5 mg of ~~benzyl alcohol~~ chlorobutanol in 1 mL of water for injection as a dissolving aqueous solution (just like the above description, Example 2-33-1 was prepared).

Please amend the last line of page 140 as follows:

Experimental Example [[4]] 4-2

Please amend Table 5 on page 144 as follows:

Example 2-11-1	TMD123H L-arginine hydrochloride Polysorbate 80	30 10 0.1	W	-	-	99.2
Example 2-12-1	TMD123H D-trehalose dihydrate Polysorbate 80	30 10 0.1	W	-	-	98.8
Example 2-13-1	TMD123H L-arginine hydrochloride D-trehalose dihydrate Polysorbate 80	30 10 10 0.1	W	-	-	98.7
Example 2-14-1	TMD123H Sodium L-glutamate monohydrate D-trehalose dihydrate Polysorbate 80	30 10 10 0.1	W	-	-	98.8
Example 2-15-1	TMD123H Sodium L-arginine <u>L-glutamate</u> monohydrate D-(-)-mannitol Polysorbate 80	30 10 10 0.1	W	-	-	99.2
Example 2-16-1	TMD123H sodium L-aspartate monohydrate D-(-)-mannitol Polysorbate 80	30 10 10 0.1	W	-	-	99.3
Example 2-17-1	TMD123H L-glutamic acid D-(-)-mannitol sodium hydroxide Polysorbate 80	30 10 10 2.8 0.1	W	-	-	99.1
Example 2-18-1	TMD123H Sodium L-glutamate monohydrate D-(-)-mannitol Polysorbate 20	30 10 10 0.1	W	-	-	97.7

Please amend the last paragraph of page 149 as follows:

Kit preparations were prepared by combining the soluble thrombomodulin (TMD123H)-containing freeze-dried preparations obtained in Example 1-1-1 to Example 1-38-1 shown in Table 1 and the dissolving aqueous solutions shown in Table 6. Then their effects of foam inhibition were confirmed by the same method as in Experimental Example [[4]] 4-2 described above. The result confirmed that the generation of air bubbles is inhibited.